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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Materiel Staff, DPD

SUBJECT: Survival Kit Requirement

1. Request necessary requisition be forwarded to TSD for six (6) survival kits. The following components indicate quantities required for each kit:

- a. 1 ea poncho, lightweight (civilian type).
- b. 1 ea mirror, signal (This item may be requisitioned from stock and forwarded to TSD for inclusion in the kits).
- c. 1 ea flare projector (German, pencil type).
- d. 4 ea flares (2 red, 2 yellow).
- e. 6 ea flare igniter caps.
- f. 1 ea hat, soft brim (raft type)
- g. 1 ea headnet
- h. 1 ea ointment, zinc oxide (medium size tube)
- i. 1 ea knife, pocket (Swiss military type), large size.
- j. 1 ea suit, chino cotton, flying recognition color (This should be of TSD manufacture).
- k. 1 ea ration, resistance type.

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- l. 2 ea ration, tube type, fruit.
- m. 1 ea medical kit, small, general purpose.
- n. 1 ea compass, Recta.
- o. 1 ea stone, sharpening (pocket size).
- p. 1 ea cord, braided nylon, 12 yds.
- q. 1 ea container, waterproof, match, with matches.
- r. 2 ea candle, long burning.
- s. 1 ea canteen, plastic, with carrying case
- t. 2 ea foil, cooking (18 sq. in.)
- u. 1 ea sun glasses, with case.
- v. 1 ea sewing kit with fishing supplies.
- w. 1 pr socks, cushion sole, stretch type.
- x. 1 ea pencil, lead.
- y. 1 ea penlight, with batteries.
- z. 50 ea tablets, water purification, mounted within plastic strips.

(Balance of kit space to be used for water)

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2. Request the above components for six (6) kits be assembled and available not later than 11 May 1962. Call [REDACTED] to arrange for shipping. Kit containers are available within the unit and will not reflect a container requirement within TSD.

3. Also request TSD confirmation regarding availability of components as well as their capability of meeting completion date of para 2.

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4. Cost of above components is approximately [REDACTED]

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Chief, Special Projects Branch, DFD

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